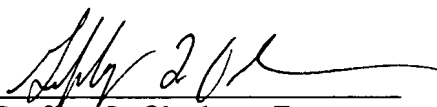


recorded on computer-readable memory associated with an external digital camera; an image processing system for generating an image corresponding to each digital photograph; an integrated user interface; and a print control system for generating a printed page corresponding to the digital photograph; wherein the image processing system comprises the ability to independently enhance one or more images from each other on the same page and template definition and printing, and further wherein the photoprinter comprises the capability of generating a pixel pattern to be printed on the printable medium and printing digital files, the calculating and printing being independent of an external host device. Thus, the combination of Hu et al. in view of Robinson and in further view of Cheng et al., does not support a rejection under 35 U.S.C. §103. It is therefore submitted that the presently claimed photoprinters are nonobvious over and patentably distinguishable from Hu et al. in view of Robinson and in further view of Cheng et al., whereby the rejection under 35 U.S.C. §103 has been overcome. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

It is believed that the above represents a complete response to the Examiner's rejections under 35 U.S.C. §§102 and 103 and places the present application in condition for allowance. Reconsideration and an early allowance are requested.

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